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ADAIR - FISCAL - COURT.

SHERIFF SETTLEMENT OF TAX 1898.

A settlement of the accounts of J. W. Hurt, Sheriff of Adair county, Kentucky, of the collections and disbursements made by him of the taxes levied at the October term, 1898, of the Adair Fiscal Court, for the purpose of settling the current expenses of Adair county for the year of 1898.

At the regular October term, 1899, of the Adair Fiscal court, I was by an order of said court appointed a Commissioner and directed by said order to make a settlement with J. W. Hurt, Sheriff of Adair County, of his accounts of the collections and disbursements made by him of the taxes levied by said Court at its October term, 1898, to be collected and paid to the creditors of said county, by said Sheriff during the year of 1899. In accordance with said order, I did on the 24th day of March, 1900, call on said Sheriff and make a settlement of said accounts with him.

I first charged him with the total number of tithes or poll tax, listed by the Assessor for taxation for the year 1899 at \$1.50 each. I also charged him with the poll tax of four persons at \$1.50 which the Assessor had failed to list, but which had since been reported and listed, and the tax collected by said Sheriff, I then charged him with twenty-two and one-half cents on each \$100.00 worth of taxable property of the county, as listed and assessed by said Assessor and equalized and certified to the clerk for ad valorem taxation for said year. I also charged him with 22 1/2 cents on each \$100.00 worth of taxable property, which said Assessor had failed to list, but which had since been reported and listed and the taxes collected thereon by said Sheriff, I then charged him with the franchise tax, as certified by the Auditor to the county court clerk, as taxes for said year on the Bank of Columbia and the Green River Telephone Company, I then charged him with 6 per cent penalty on all the taxes which were collectable, but were uncollected on the 1st day of January 1900, all of which made the debts of J. W. Hurt Sheriff, to Adair County, as follows, to wit:

DEBITS.

To 3179 tithes assessed and returned by the Assessor, at \$1.50 each, 4,768 50
To 4 tithes which the Assessor failed to list, but were listed by the Sheriff and the tax collected at \$1.50 each, 6 00
To ad valorem tax on \$1,504,177.00 worth of taxable property which was listed by the Assessor, supervised, equalized and certified for taxation at 22 1/2 cents on each \$100.00 thereof, 3586 89
To ad valorem tax on \$600.00 worth of taxable property, which the Assessor failed to list, but which was listed by the Sheriff and the taxes collected thereon at 22 1/2 cents on each \$100.00 thereof, 221 00
To 6 per cent penalty on \$ of taxes which was collectable, but not collected prior to the 1st day of January 1900, 24 06
To the franchise tax on the Bank of Columbia, as certified by the Auditor for taxation, 72 12
To the franchise tax on the Green River Telephone Co., as certified for taxation, 60
To the franchise tax on the Adair and Russell Telephone Co., as certified for taxation, 84
Total debits, 8461 22

CREDITS.

I was then shown a large number of certificates of orders of allowance to various persons, in various sums, made by the Adair Fiscal Court, at its April term, 1898, and its October term, 1898, and ordered by said court that they be paid out the levy as above set out, and which had been paid to the owners of same by said sheriff and his deputies, and by which I gave him credit as follows:

No. 2. To Bradshaw & Jones, for pauper coffins, 13 50
4. To J. F. Neat, assignee of Junious Holt, for voting house, 2 50
11. To R. L. Davis, sheriff of election, 2 55
17. To Archie Collins, sheriff of election, 2 64
18. To E. W. Burton, judge of election, 2 00
20. To E. W. Burton, furnishing pauper, 25 00
21. To E. W. Burton, furnishing pauper, 42 50
29. To W. A. Wilson, judge of election, 2 00
30. To W. A. Wilson, judge of election, 2 00
31. To Hughes & Coffey, furnishing pauper, 26 00
32. To Hughes & Coffey, furnishing pauper, 2 25
33. To Hughes & Coffey, furnishing pauper, 17 92
34. To Hughes & Coffey, furnishing pauper, 52 00
36. To R. M. Tucker, judge of election, 2 00
37. To John R. Murrell, judge of election, 2 00
38. To W. F. Grant, judge of election, 2 00
40. To J. M. Wilson, voting-house, 3 00

41. To J. M. Wilson, voting-house, 3 00
42. To James Frankum, clerk of election, 2 00
43. To James Frankum, clerk of election, 2 00
47. To Horace Jeffries, clerk of election, 2 00
48. To George Robertson, juror in road case, 1 50
49. To G. W. Robertson, judge of election, 2 00
53. To J. M. Perryman, judge of election, 2 00
54. To Milton Judd, judge of election, 2 00
56. To C. R. Eoyse, judge of election, 2 00
57. To J. C. Dunbar, sheriff of election, 3 20
58. To W. P. Chelf, judge of election, 2 00
59. To J. A. Turner, assignee of H. Webb, sheriff of election, 2 56
60. To Z. T. Williams, sheriff of election, 3 04
61. To A. Loy, judge of election, 2 00
62. To H. C. Walker, judge of election, 2 00
63. To H. C. Walker, for pauper coffins, 3 00
64. To A. J. Stotts, sheriff of election, 2 00
65. To W. S. Griffin, judge of election, 2 00
66. To Piner Harvey, Jr., judge of election, 2 00
67. To L. C. Hindman, judge of election, 2 00
69. To E. T. Keltner, judge of election, 2 00
70. To C. B. Epperson, clerk of election, 2 00
71. To S. L. Coffey, clerk of election, 2 00
72. To Matthew Taylor, judge of election, 2 00
73. To J. C. Potts, judge of election, 2 00
74. To C. T. Triplett, juror in road case, 1 50
85. F. W. Miller, clerk of election, 2 00
106. To Shelby Tarter, furnishing pauper, 104 00
150. To J. T. Burton, judge of election, 2 00
160. To P. V. Cundiff, judge of election, 2 00
161. To P. Nelson, judge of election, 2 00
165. To John Young, voting house, 1 50
166. To John Young, for voting house, 1 00
167. To George R. Akins, road commissioner, 4 50
170. To S. Montgomery, judge of election, 2 00
171. To W. F. Sanders, judge of election, 2 00
173. To H. K. Walker, judge of election, 2 00
175. To T. J. Patten, judge of election, 2 00
176. To G. C. Coomer, judge of election, 2 00
177. To G. C. Coomer, judge of election, 2 00
179. To T. A. Kemp, judge of election, 2 00
180. To T. A. Kemp, judge of election, 2 00
181. To E. T. Willis, chairs for court-house, 2 50
183. To W. H. Russell, judge of election, 2 00
189. To W. H. Williams, clerk of election, 2 00
190. To E. C. Murrell, clerk of election, 1 00
192. To L. C. Harmon, sheriff of election, 2 80
194. To Geo. H. Nell, clerk of election, 2 00
195. To G. H. Nell, clerk of election, 2 00
196. To G. H. Nell, voting-house, 3 00
197. To M. Cravens, judge of election, 2 00
198. To T. W. Montgomery, ju'e of election, 2 00
203. To G. T. Flowers, judge of election, 2 00
204. To G. T. Flowers, judge of election, 2 00
205. C. O. Moss, sheriff of election, 2 70
206. To Robert Conover, juror in road case, 1 50
210. To W. S. Pickett, clerk of election, 2 00
218. To W. B. Patten, clerk of election, 2 00
257. To C. M. Breeding, assignee of H. P. Redman, pauper coffin, 3 00
256. To C. M. Breeding, assignee of W. D. Jones, services as school superintendent, 175 00
258. To C. M. Breeding, assignee of C. C. Bault, furnishing pauper, 13 00
259. To C. M. Breeding, assignee M. R. Yarberr, services as deputy sheriff, 4 00
260. To C. M. Breeding, assignee of Frodge & Shive, furnishing pauper, 12 50
261. To W. O. Murrell's Admr., assignee of J. H. Warmack, serving road orders, 5 00
263. To C. M. Breeding, assignee of W. A. Jackman, juror in road case, 1 50
264. To C. M. Breeding, assignee of Z. T. Taylor, services as pauper house keeper, 78 82
267. To C. M. Breeding, assignee of L. L. Murrell, services as school supt., 175 00
269. To Z. T. Williams, assignee of Maria J. Wakefield, keeping pauper, 16 00
270. To J. P. Beard, assignee of Reed & Coffey, furnishing pauper coffins, 7 00
272. To W. O. Murrell's admr., assignee of William Biggs, services as justice, 6 00
273. To W. O. Murrell's admr., assignee of J. M. Williams, services as justice, 6 00
274. To W. O. Murrell's admr., assignee of W. H. Kemp, services as justice, 6 00
275. To W. O. Murrell's admr., assignee of T. F. Gowen, services as justice, 6 00
276. To W. O. Murrell's admr., assignee of W. C. Wolford, services as justice, 6 00
277. To W. O. Murrell's admr., assignee of W. C. Loy, services as justice, 6 00
278. To Z. T. Williams, assignee of J. W. Hurt, services as sheriff, 47 50
279. To Z. T. Williams, assignee of J. W. Hurt, tax receipt book, 22 75
280. To W. O. Murrell's admr., assignee of John Eubank, services as justice, 6 00
282. To Z. T. Williams, assignee of Bradley & Gilbert, file boxes for clerks office, 15 15
284. To J. P. Beard, assignee of A. A. Strange, publishing list of claims, 8 56
286. To J. H. Judd, assignee of Z. T. Gabbart, medical attention to pauper, 3 50
287. To Z. T. Williams, assignee of S. L. Bennett, services as juror, 1 50
288. To W. O. Murrell's admr., assignee of R. T. McCaffrey, surveying road, 12 00
289. To Z. T. Williams, assignee of Junius Hancock, services as county judge, 106 00
290. To Z. T. Williams, assignee of U. L. Taylor, clerk of election, 2 00
292. To C. M. Breeding, assignee of R. C. Eubank, house to vote in, 5 00
291. To Z. T. Williams, assignee of U. L. Taylor, voting house, 3 00
293. To N. H. Moss, assignee of J. R. Parcell, clerk of election, 2 00
294. To Z. T. Williams, assignee of J. M. Traylor, judge of election, 2 00
295. To W. B. Hendrickson, furnishing pauper, 15 50
299. To J. C. Bault, sheriff of election, 2 48
801. To J. A. Wheeler, assignee of W. M. Brummitt, juror in road case, 1 50
802. To J. A. Wheeler, juror in road case, 1 50
803. To Z. T. Williams, assignee of J. A. Coffey, juror in road case, 4 50
804. To J. R. Tutt, voting house, 2 00
805. To C. M. Breeding, assignee of S. P. Hayes, juror in road case, 1 50
808. To J. A. Wheeler, assignee of Nimrod Roach, commissioner in road case, 4 50
809. To J. A. Wheeler, assignee of Geo. Curry, juror in road case, 1 50
810. To C. M. Breeding, assignee of John Stills, chain carrier in road case, 2 00
811. To C. M. Breeding, assignee of Alex Stills, chain carrier in road case, 2 00
812. To G. B. Breeding, cash paid for road, 16 00
815. To C. O. Moss, sheriff of election, 2 64
816. To Z. T. Williams, assignee of P. R. Stults, services as county clerk, 107 61
817. To Z. T. Williams, assignee of T. R. Stults, recording school census report, 50 00
818. To Z. T. Williams, assignee of T. R. Stults, clerk of Fiscal court, 6 00
820. To Hughes & Coffey, voting house, 2 00
843. To J. P. Beard, assignee of C. S. Harris, publishing sheriff's settlement, 34 60
845. To J. P. Beard, assignee of J. B. Watson, boarding prisoners, 26 50
846. To U. L. Taylor, assignee of Matilda Nelson, fur. pauper, 52 00
847. To J. P. Miller & Son, furnishing pauper, 5 57
849. To J. P. Miller & Son, furnishing pauper, 26 00
850. To S. P. Miller, pauper coffin, 3 00
851. To S. P. Miller, medicine to pauper, 3 80
852. To U. L. Taylor, assignee of W. T. Grissom, services as health officer, 30 00
858. To Glover Breeding, assignee of Wm. Firquip, judge of the election, 2 00
859. To Glover Breeding, assignee of Frank Parsons, sheriff of election, 2 80
860. To J. P. Beard, assignee of E. F. Taylor, medical attention to pauper, 6 00
861. To J. P. Beard, assignee of Campbell Bros., fur. pauper, 9 00
867. To J. P. Beard, assignee of Frodge & Shive, fur. pauper, 13 00
866. To N. H. Moss, assignee of Wilmore & Moss, fur. pauper, 186 63
674. To Dr. U. L. Taylor, jail physician, 51 25
679. To C. M. Breeding, assignee of Eli Bailey, conveying pauper, 2 00
880. To N. H. Moss, visiting poor

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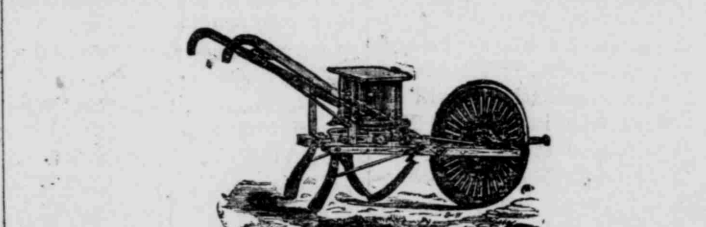
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